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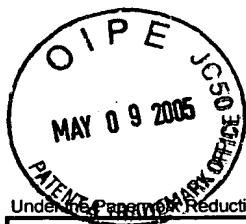
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In reference to the Office Action of February 8, 2005, Applicants respectfully submit the following response.